

KENNEDY
MEASURE
APPROVED

INTRODUCED BY
ALLEN COUNTY
MAN, PASSED.

ides for Creation of
w Officer Appointed
By Governor.

A SALARY OF
\$400 PER MONTH.

of Huron, Also Has
Which House Gives
Its Approval of.

ing and Loans Re-
quired to Help Defray
Expenses of State.

mbus, O., March 6.—Placing
tax upon building and loan
companies and placing them under
control of a state building and
apartment, bills introduced in
legislature by Representative
of Huron County, and Ken-
of Allen county, were passed
second reading following a
debate.

Yenau bill, if made a law,
require all building and loan
companies to pay \$20 a year into
a treasury, plus 1-100 of one
cent of their assets. The money
to be used to pay the expenses of
various associations. The
bill was made that the state
\$300 last year on the examina-
tion of these associations.
Representative Kennedy's bill pro-
poses the state building and
apartment be taken out of the
of the state insurance com-
mission, where it now is, and that
of the department be ap-
pointed by the governor, at a salary
of \$400 a year. The bill would re-
duce salary of the state insur-
ance commissioner to \$1000.

The house adjourned at
10 o'clock out of respect to
D. Thomas, of Cleveland,
member and member of the con-
stitutional convention, who died
yesterday.

A Good Idea.
Members of the lower house of the
legislature today indicated that
they will pass the Colling bill,
a penitentiary sentence of
three to five years for anyone
who "corner" upon principal
is, when it advanced the
bill upon second reading.

Senator representative drew
to provide against a con-
to boost the prices of butter,
read, flour, meat or vegeta-
bles of not less than \$500
penitentiary sentence is pro-
posed.

Representative Williams' bill,
the carrying of concealed
firearms is a felony punishable by im-
prisonment in the penitentiary for
one to three years, was advanced
for consideration. Short
action resulted in the passage
of the bill.

The Cleveland representa-
tive declared that he will make an
attempt to get his measure out
committee later in the day.
Friedman civil service bill to
be reported out with the re-
commendation for passage by the
legislature committee. Two
changes were made in
the measure. One amendment
was urged by the republican
of the committee, gives the
right to confirm the gov-
ernment appointments to the state
civil service commission, which will
be composed of three members.
The amendment exempts
all service examination all
appointed by state and
officials with the right to ac-
tivate of their principals. Al-
a strenuous fight was waged
that section of the bill which
he heads of the principal de-
partment of city government under
service, the section went
the committee as originally
drafted.

or Friedman, of Cuyahoga
the author of the bill, op-
posed the amendment, when the
measures the floor of the senate.

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FAMOUS SOLDIER AND NOTED
PHYSICIAN ARE GREAT FRIENDS

General Ricciotti Garibaldi (at
left) and Dr. Friedrich Franz
Friedmann came to New York on
the same steamer, and during the
voyage became great friends. Gen-
eral Garibaldi, who fought with
Francisco Madero in the revolt
against Porfirio Diaz, is a grandson
of the Italian liberator, General
Giuseppe Garibaldi. He is a true
soldier of fortune, and has fought
in half a dozen campaigns. He
abandoned his interests in Mexico to
respond to a call of his father, who
organized a legion to fight for
Greece against the Turks. Dr.
Friedmann is in this country to test
his cure for tuberculosis. When
discussing his friendship for Gen-
eral Garibaldi, Dr. Friedmann
laughed and said: "He shoots them;
I mend them."

TIN SOLDIER
ATTENDANTS

Not in Keeping With Wil-
son's Ideas of Genuine
Democracy.

PRESENT CORPS
TO BE REDUCED

Even in His Travels, Gold
Lace is Not Part of
Wilson's Scenery.

Washington, March 6.—There
will be a marked reduction in the
amount of gold lace to be seen
around the White House during the
present administration if President
Wilson carries out his plan to reduce
the number of military aides which
have attended the two former presi-
dents.

It became known today that Major
Thomas L. Rhodes, U. S. A., who
was military aide and medical ad-
viser to President Taft, had recom-
mended that the present corps of
twelve officers of the army, navy and
marine corps be cut in half. Fur-
thermore President Wilson probably
will dispense with the presence of
a uniformed aide in his travels about
the country.

The present system of a personal
military staff at the White House
was created by President Roosevelt
and continued by President Taft.
Major Archibald W. Butt, who lost
his life in the Titanic disaster, was
responsible for establishing the pre-
cedent of wearing full dress uniform
while accompanying both former
presidents. He felt that as he was
on duty he should conform to the
regulations and appear in uniform.
His understanding of the regula-
tions was accepted by his brother
officers on duty at the White House.

VICTOR IN \$10,000 SUIT
WITH HIS BACK BROKEN
MAY LOSE EVERY CENT

Columbus, O., March 6.—As the
climax of unusual misfortune, An-
tonio Verducci, a patient at a Cleve-
land hospital today was given a ver-
dict of \$10,000 damages against H.
and G. R. Eschmager, members
of a Columbus contracting firm.
The value of the verdict is ques-
tionable, however, as the contracting
firm against which it was given has
failed.

FIGHT FOR GIRLS
IN WOMAN'S COURT
A WORTHY PURPOSE.

Chicago, March 6.—Fifteen cases
were disposed of yesterday in
"Judge" Mary M. Bartelme's court.
It was the first day of the court,
the attaches of which are all women,
and Miss Bartelme expressed herself as
highly pleased with the results.

Not a man is admitted to the court
room where the hearings are limited
to the cases of either wayward girls
or those "who never had a chance."
Women probation officers acted as
bailiffs and there was a woman clerk
in the court.

"It is our hope to get justice for
these girls and judging from the first
day's work I think we will be suc-
cessful," said Miss Bartelme.

HAS ANYONE SEEN
TOM LIPTON'S DARE
TO RACE FOR CUP?

New York, March 6.—Mail from
England was delivered at the New
York Yacht club today, but did not
include the packet containing Sir
Thomas Lipton's fourth challenge
for the America's cup. The steamship
Oceanic, on which the challenge
was left, docked last night, it
was explained that the Lipton com-
munication was doubtless registered
matter and would not be delivered
until late in the day.

Whether the contents of the let-
ter will be made public until after
a meeting of club officials on March
27 was not announced.

POOR OLD ETHEL
BADLY DISABLED
STAGGERS IN PORT.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 6.—
With her decks smashed, lifeboats
stove in, and a portion of her ma-
chinery disabled, the British steam-
ship "Ethel," which sailed for Philadel-
phia from Narvik, Norway, on Janu-
ary 3, reached this port yesterday.
Sixty days were consumed in the
trip across the ocean, one which
usually takes less than twenty days.

"For the greater portion of the
way we just drifted along," said
Captain Davis.

According to Captain Davis the
voyage was the worst he ever made.

On January 18, the vessel put into
Stornaway, England, for coal and
then within 600 miles of Halifax, on
February 1, she was compelled to
turn and go back to Fayal in the
Azores, from which port she sailed
on February 12.

Verducci was digging a trench for
Eschmager brothers at Elyria, on
August 23, 1911, when a cave-in
covered him. When he was exca-
vated it was found that his back
had been broken and that he was
paralyzed. He was taken to a
Cleveland hospital and the story
told the jury in Judge Rathbun's
court, was that he is gradually go-
ing insane.

TURK FORTRESS FALLS
INTO HANDS OF GREEKS:
30,000 MEN SURRENDER

A TERRIFIC BOMBARD-
MENT KEPT UP
INCESSANTLY.

Until at End of Two Days
and Two Nights Guns
Are Silenced.

GREEK STRATEGY
WINS THE VICTORY.

Merciless Rain of Shot and
Shell Continues For
Hours.

Turkish Troops Suddenly
Find Themselves Trap-
ped and Flee.

Athens, Greece, March 6.—The
Turkish fortress of
Janina, the key to the pos-
session of the province of
Epirus, with its garrison of
32,000 men surrendered to the
Greek army today after a
defense which forms one
of the most brilliant epi-
sodes of the Balkan war.

The surrender was pre-
ceded by a fierce bombard-
ment, lasting without ces-
sation for two days and two
nights. Every available
gun including a number of
heavy Howitzers lent by the
Serbian artillery was
brought to bear on the fort
defending the beleaguered
city.

Gradually the Turkish
batteries at Bizani, Manoli-
lara, Sakni and elsewhere
were silenced.

The Greek commanders
by a feint led Turks to be-
lieve that their attack would
be made from the right. As
soon as the attention of the
defenders had been distract-
ed the Greeks hurled large
bodies of infantry onto the
Turkish left. The Ottoman
troops, utterly surprised,
fell back in disorder.

The batteries on the
heights of Bizani, the main
stay of the defense, had been
unable to stand the pelting
of shells and were reduced
to complete silence at 11
o'clock.

The Greeks pushed their
forward movement during
the afternoon and occupied
the Turkish batteries on the
Sakni and Elas hills, cap-
turing all guns and 110 ar-
tillerymen. Then the Greek
battalions gradually deploy-
ed onto the plain in front of
the city itself.

The Turkish flight im-
mediately became general, de-
spite all the efforts of the
Ottoman officers to rally
their men. Whole detach-
ments succumbed to panic
and joined in a mad race in
the city. The Greek troops
followed in hot pursuit al-
most to the walls.

With all the defending
batteries in the hands of the
Greeks and the Hellenic sol-
diers at the gates of Janina,
Essaad Pasha, the Turkish
commander, at 6 o'clock this
morning sent messengers
under a flag of truce to
Crown Prince Constantine

of Greece announcing the
surrender of the city and all
the troops under his com-
mand.

The fall of Janina was an-
nounced by the crown
prince to the Greek war of-
fice in an official despatch.

Wild enthusiasm reigned
in the streets of Athens on
the announcement of the
news.

Great Rejoicing.
London, March 5.—There was
great rejoicing in Greek diplomatic
circles today over the fall of the im-
portant Turkish stronghold of Jani-
na, which had hitherto offered stern
resistance to the Greek attack.

The success of their army places
Greece in a much stronger position
to deal with Bulgaria when the
time comes for the division of the
spoils of war.

PARCEL POST FIDO
UNDER OBLIGATION
TO KIND POSTMAN.

Hackensack, N. J., March 6.—
"Saved by a postage stamp" is the
title which postal clerks here give to
a comic scene on Main street yester-
day, in which John Keenan, a
special delivery mail carrier was
principal. Keenan loves dogs. He
spied one yesterday in the post office
that was wandering around without
a license. Keenan took a fancy to it
and as he started out on his rounds
he allowed the dog to trail behind
him. At a street corner James
Dalla, the official dog catcher of
Hackensack, made his appearance.
Dalla has a record of 662 dogs caught
in the last year and he was about to
pounce upon the little unlicensed
dog, which was following the
mail carrier.

"Don't touch that dog," exclaimed
Keenan as he hastily drew a parcel
post stamp from his pocket, licked it
and attached it to the dog's ear.
"That dog is mail matter and under
the protection of Uncle Sam." The
dog catcher was properly awed by
the federal authority and withdrew.

TAX ON OLD MAIDS
IN A COMMUNITY
FILLED WITH THEM.

Boston, Mass., March 6.—A tax
on bachelor maids as well as bach-
elors was advocated before the com-
mittee on taxation yesterday by Mrs.
Frank W. Page, who described her-
self as an "old school marm."
Women as well as men, she said,
enjoy freedom of life, and it is
worth \$5 a year to some of them to
remain teaching school or working
in the stores.

Mrs. Page told the committee that
62 per cent of the men in this state
that can afford marriage to do so
most of them willingly.

SAMUEL SPEAKETH
WITH MUCH TRUTH
FOR A CHICAGOAN.

Chicago, March 6.—A plan to
make the Fourth of July an election
day for the entire nation and Mem-
orial day a country-wide primary
day was proposed by Samuel Al-
schuler, a former democratic nominee
for governor of Illinois, yesterday,
in an address before the Association
of Commerce.

"We must do something to stir
up the voters of this nation," said
Mr. Alschuler. "They must be
aroused to a sense of their duties.
Too little interest is taken in elec-
tions and primaries. At some judi-
cial elections hardly anyone turns
out."

INJECTING HIS SERUM
ON LOWER EAST SIDE,
DR. FRIEDMANN STARTS

New York, March 6.—Dr. Fried-
rich Franz Friedmann, of Berlin,
administered today his serum for
tuberculosis to two women and a
man, the first patients whom he has
treated in America. The serum was
injected at the People's hospital for
chronic tuberculosis on the Lower
East Side, in the presence of a num-
ber of physicians, including repre-
sentatives of the board of health.

In a statement issued this after-

Prettiest Pilgrim
Popular in Big Pageant



Miss Phoebe Hawn of Brooklyn,
pronounced the prettiest of the suf-
fragettes who bled from New York
to Washington, made a big hit with
the opposite sex along the line of
march of the big pageant in Wash-
ington. She was greeted by cheers
and shouts of applause. Miss Hawn
received a proposal of marriage
while walking to Washington.

PERSIMMONS
AND LEMONS

In Great Abundance But
Nary a Plum on the
Old Tree.

WINTRY BLASTS
OF CIVIL SERVICE

Cause Scores of Job Hunters
to Wrap Themselves
in Thought.

Washington, March 6.—Office-
seekers discovered that the "politi-
cal plum tree" of 1912 bore little
fruit, having suffered from the blight
of extended civil service rules and
the added requisite of familiarity
with the complications existing in
government departments. In conse-
quence scores of disappointed job
hunters are cooling their heels in
the hotels of the capital and bemoan-
ing their fate.

To these unfortunates who ex-
pected to profit personally through
the incoming administration, Presi-
dent Wilson's statement of yesterday
came as a further shock. The presi-
dent's determination not to see of-
fice-seekers after positions unless he
sends for them, virtually closed the
main avenue to the goal of official
position. The president has let it
be known that he is in real earnest
in his declaration and the doors of
the executive offices will not swing
open to men with a "mission" that
involves themselves personally.

A further complication is found
in the fact that the heads of the var-
ious departments, being new in
their positions, are evincing no haste
in making changes in the staffs over
which they preside.

HATFIELDS
PERSUADE
CLANSMAN

TO SURRENDER TO
SHERIFF BEFORE
BLOOD IS SHED.

Grandson of Devil Anse
Hatfield in Trouble
Again.

HELD UP TRAIN
IN WILD COUNTRY

Interfering With Schedule
of Nine Other Trains
"Only a Lark."

Did Not Rob Passengers of
Anything Except Val-
uable Time.

Williamsport, W. Va., March 6.—
John Hatfield, grandson of "Devil"
Anse Hatfield, former feudist, and
Clem Cline, who are alleged to have
held up a Norfolk & Western freight
train in a wild section of Mingo
county, last Thursday night, volun-
tarily surrendered to the sheriff
early today. With 30 clansmen they
held an impregnable position and
were prepared to withstand a long
siege. Pickets were posted in all di-
rections for half a mile. "Bob" Hat-
field, father of young John, and
John, another son of "Devil" Anse,
induced the fugitives to surrender
without a battle that was imminent,
when the sheriff's posse located the
clan's stronghold.

The elder Hatfields escorted the
sheriff to the fortress, which was at
the point of a cleft on the Virginia
side of the state's borders, reached
only by a dangerous path, along
which the officer had to crawl for
about a quarter of a mile.

Hatfield and his clansmen did not
rob the train as was reported, but
held it up by keeping the crew cov-
ered with guns and tying up the
other division. Nine other trains
were held back by what the relatives
of Hatfield and Cline say "was
only a lark."

SEVENTY-ONE KILLED
BY RAMMING OF
DESTROYER "S-178."

Brin, March 6.—The total number
of killed as the result of the ram-
ming of torpedo boat destroyer
"S-178" by the York off Heligoland
was given officially today as 71, in-
cluding two officers and 69 men. It
is stated by the admiralty that most
of those did not die by drowning,
but were frozen to death while cling-
ing to loose parts after their vessel
had sunk. The official account of
the disaster states that "the destroy-
er while crossing the bow of the
York became unmanageable owing
to the terrific seas and was cut in
two" by the bigger vessel, which was
going at full speed. The storm
made the rescue of the men almost
impossible and many of the corpses
were not picked up until this morn-
ing.

FIRE AND WATER
BOTH ARE MENACE
TO CRIPPLED SHIP.

Seattle, Wash., March 6.—The
American bark Acme arrived yester-
day from Baltimore after an event-
ful voyage of 260 days. The Acme
which brought a cargo of 5,500 tons
of blacksmith coal, was caught in
a hurricane off Laplata river. Five
of the bark's sails were carried
away and the cargo shifted danger-
ously. Scarcely had the storm
abated when fire was discovered in
the cargo and it was necessary to
put in at Montevideo where 1200
tons of coal were discharged before
the fire was extinguished. The
Acme was held at Montevideo sixty-
two days and while there 25 of the
37 men in the crew deserted. New
men were obtained to complete the
voyage to Seattle.

MUST EITHER PAY
OWN DENTIST BILL
OR WAIT IN PAIN.

Washington, March 6.—If a sail-
or of the United States navy has the
toothache and the government's
dentist is busy he must continue to
suffer unless he is willing to foot
the bill of a private dentist. Com-
ptroller of the Treasury Tracwell to-
day advised the secretary of the
navy that the expenses for dental
treatment of enlisted men cannot be
legally paid by the government
when the services of a naval dental
officer are not available.

C. G. ELLIOTT REINSTATED

Last Official Act of Wilson as Secretary of Agriculture.

VINDICATION OF MAN HE DISMISSED.

Congress Learned That Engineer Had But Done His Duty.

Washington, March 6.—The last act of James Wilson as secretary of agriculture was to reinstate C. G. Elliott, as chief engineer of drainage investigations in the department of agriculture.

Mr. Elliott was dismissed by Secretary Wilson for his attitude in the department of agriculture's connection with the Florida overland investigation. A congressional committee vindicated him.

It became known today that A. D. Morehouse, an assistant engineer who was dismissed at the same time had been previously reinstated to a position in the department.

Elliott and Morehouse were dismissed on the ground of a technical violation of the law for having transferred the funds of one bureau to the use of another to carry on work for which money was lacking. They were indicted upon that technicality and the indictments were quashed. Their dismissal was connected with charges that Secretary Wilson had suppressed an official circular dealing with Florida lands which was unfavorable to land promoters and others having interests there.

Elliott at the time of his dismissal laid it to his refusal to give official approval of land selling projects in Florida.

Scaled Like A Fish

Mr. P. J. Welmer of Pennsylvania, a sufferer from Eczema, writes:

"I seemed like a fish—had two doctors, but got worse all the time—after using only three bottles of D. D. D. I can truthfully say I am cured."

This D. D. D. Prescription is a mild wash scientifically compounded from wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients which penetrate to the disease germs. This cooling wash destroys the scales and throws them off, leaving the skin smooth and healthy.

We guarantee the first full sized bottle. You are to get it and decide if it is worth the price. If not, pay nothing.

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Ladies!

When you are considering your garments—call in and let us figure with you on a strictly Tailor Made Suit, Coat or Skirt.

We are prepared to give you the best of service in fabrics and workmanship. Come in and look at the latest Spring Styles, whether ready to buy or not.

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Follow the Crowds

\$5.00 Solid Gold-Fill-\$1.00 Ed Glasses for \$1.00

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10 karat Solid Gold Filled Spectacles or Eyeglasses

Warranted to Wear 10 years

We have at your service Two Skilled Eyeglass Specialists, who, we assure, will give you proper care and satisfaction.

This Sale is for a Limited Time Only!

Hundreds have come—hundreds have been fitted—hundreds have now been pleased

Were you one of the many that could not be waited on? Come early and you will have the choice of the different styles of frames to choose from.

Free—Examination—Free

Headache, Dizziness, Inflamed or Watery Eyes, Nervousness and all Defects of the Eyes Corrected by Our Properly Fitted Glasses.

Our 1913 Finger Nose Piece Mountings Adjusted to Your Lenses, \$1.50.	We make this special offer every 6 months	All Special Ground Bi-focal and Compound Lenses at Lowest Prices.
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If you have not yet bought a pair of them, come and get in line. We have fitted some of the best and leading citizens of the city, and we can fit you. Every frame is guaranteed and every lens is fitted to the eyes by our expert opticians. It will pay you to take advantage of this great advertising sale.

Vortkamp's

Cor. Main and North

TO PEACE AND REST

David Hilyard Passed Away at His Home in Evansville, Tenn.

REMAINS BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL.

Was An Old Resident of This County—Leaves a Large Family.

To the final reward that awaits, and to the particular honor in store for those boys in blue who 50 years ago defended the nation and her flag from the threatened disorganization and destruction, another hero has been called. David Hilyard was for a great many years a resident of this county, having spent by far the largest part of his life here. A short year ago he moved to Tennessee, and since that time he has made his home there. Last Sunday he succumbed to the gradually increasing infirmities of old age, and the final curtain of this life was drawn.

David Hilyard was almost a life-long resident of Allen county. He was born in Fairfield county, Ohio, on the 6th day of July, 1844, at the time of his death on last Sunday, being 68 years of age. He came to this county in his early youth, and made his home here near Allentown. On the 14th day of August, 1862, he enlisted in the United States army, going onto the battlefield for the sake of the union. He enlisted in Lima, and was a member of Company I of the 34th Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He served for the North until the 28th day of June 1865, when he received his honorable discharge from the government.

Shortly after returning from the war he was married to Miss Sarah Elizabeth Bowers. This was in 1866. To this union there were born eight children, one of whom passed away in infancy. The other seven are still living to mourn the death of their father. The mother preceded their husband to the grave a long time ago, so that he was later married for a second time. The children living from the first marriage are William, Jeremiah, Marion and Charles, all living in this state, and Elmer, in Washington and two daughters, Mrs. Hannah Stearns and Mrs. Anna Poling. In this part of the family there are 29 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The second Mrs. Hilyard was Miss Rachel Rosetta Stever, who now is left to mourn the loss of her husband. To this second union there were born 11 children, of whom there are now nine living: eight sons and one daughter, Jessie Louie Ephraim Irwin, Lloyd Leonard, Cloyd and Frederick are the sons and Miss Angelina is the daughter. Three brothers, Noah, John and Ephraim, also survive.

With his wife and five of his children the deceased removed to Rhea county, Tennessee on the 20th of March, 1912, and since that time has made his home there. He was always a very highly respected man in his community, and stood very high in the estimation of his friends and relatives. His death in a distant country was a shock to all.

The remains arrived in Lima last evening, accompanied by the members of the family who were with him. It was taken to the undertaking parlors of Williams & Davis where it remained until this afternoon. The funeral services were held at the United Brethren church in Allentown this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Warren of Elida conducted the services. The remains were then laid away in the Greenlawn cemetery near Elida.

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REV. W. J. DEMPSTER PRINCIPAL SPEAKER.

Came From Urbana to Address Solar Lodge of Odd Fellows at Annual Roll Call.

Solar Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, had the honor of having with them last evening Rev. W. J. Dempster, of Urbana, formerly pastor of Olivet Presbyterian church who came to the city early in the afternoon. The annual roll call of the order was held and nearly one hundred and fifty members responded.

Rev. W. J. Dempster was the principal speaker of the evening. Others who talked were Charles E. Eckert, Dr. F. L. Bates, M. L. Mayer and Mr. Shaffer, a visiting member from Washington, C. H. By the roll call, last evening, it was shown that of the 25 charter members of the lodge, 13 now reside in Lima. Eight were present last evening.

The lodge was also honored by many visiting brethren who were in attendance.

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Will Give Lecture at Olivet Presbyterian Church as a Benefit for Society.

The many friends of Rev. W. J. Dempster of Urbana, formerly pastor of Olivet Presbyterian church will be delighted to know he will come to Lima on Friday evening, March 14, at which time he will give an illustrated lecture at Olivet Presbyterian church on Ireland and Irish People. A large number of interesting stereoscopic views will be shown. The lecture will be put on as a benefit for the Ladies Aid Society of Olivet church of which Mrs. H. C. Thies is secretary. The lecture will also celebrate St. Patrick's day which will be very near at hand. It is likely Olivet church will be thronged with admirers of Rev. Dempster who will want to hear his lecture.

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20c Four Cakes of Toilet Soap	9c	9c	20c 4 large size Barber Towels	9c	14c 2 yards of Apron Gingham	9c
20c Four big Rolls of Toilet Paper	9c	9c	19c Table Oil Cloth, new designings	9c	15c Standard Grade Dress Gingham	9c
39c Boys' serviceable Knee Pants	9c	9c	18c Cotton Challies, Special, the yard	9c	19c Mexican Lace Stand Covers	9c
50c Rings, Scarf Pins Brooches and Scarf Pins	9c	9c	12c Heavy Turkish Towels at	9c	12c Fine English Long Cloth, yard	9c
25c Women's French Brassieres, at	9c	9c	15c Colored Curtain Scrims, at	9c	15c New Lace Sash Curtains	9c
39c Shetland and Figured Veiling	9c	9c				
25c Stylish Lace Collars, all Styles	9c	9c				
49c 2 yds. plain and Striped Soisettes	9c	9c				
29c Leather Hand Bags, neat mountings	9c	9c				
10c Two dozen of Shoe Laces	9c	9c				
15c Plain Colored Chambrays, yd.	9c	9c				
15c Heavy Fancy Ticking, yard	9c	9c				

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SUPT. FRANK BAXTER MAKES PUBLIC REPORT ON BANK CONDITIONS

Columbus O., March 6.—Individual deposits in Ohio banks fell off approximately \$3,000,000, according to the report of the state bank examiner made public today, showing the condition of state banks as of February 4 in comparison with the last previous statement which was issued on November 26, 1912. Loans showed practically no change for the period covered. The report is officially signed by Frank E. Baxter as superintendent of the state department of banking, although the latter is on leave of absence from that office.

The report for the period as of February 4 shows the condition of banks in the larger cities of the state as follows:


Cincinnati—Resources.	
Loans on real estate	\$ 10,162,338.07
Loans on collateral	16,242,257.50
Other loans and discounts	7,479,947.00
Profit and loss	1,673.79
Liabilities:	
Surplus fund	\$ 3,274,665.08
Individual deposits subject to check	11,955,352.52
Demand certificates of deposit	618,930.52
Savings deposits	4,736,361.73
Trust deposits	6,079,396.86

Cleveland—Resources.	
Loans on real estate	\$ 56,103,622.01
Loans on collateral	54,233,998.72
Other loans and discounts	7,371,658.27
Profit and loss	584.85
Liabilities:	
Surplus fund	\$ 12,516,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	25,147,484.91
Demand certificates	

Toledo—Resources.	
Loans on real estate	\$ 7,881,677.94
Loans on collateral	5,051,419.95
Other loans and discounts	4,472,713.11
Liabilities:	
Surplus fund	\$ 1,531,704.00
Individual deposits subject to check	4,657,561.92
Demand certificates of deposit	942,844.44
Savings deposits	15,061,278.00
Trust deposits	155,926.69

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NEWS OF COURTS.

The case of A. E. Emick against John R. Lee, which had been previously assigned for hearing yesterday morning was postponed until one week later. It will come up before the court on the twelfth of March. Wheeler and Bentley are representing the plaintiff and MacKenzie and Weadock the defendant.

The case of J. L. Sellers against A. L. Burkholder, et al, which had been assigned for hearing by the court on the seventh of this month, next Friday has been continued. Velte and Downing represent the plaintiff and J. W. Astin the defendants.

The county commissioners today adjourned the hearing of the James Baxter Ditch until the sixteenth of April.

MUCH DIZZY POMP AT CELEBRATION FOR ROMANOFF'S.

St. Petersburg, March 6.—The Tercentenary of the election as emperor of Russia of Michael Feodorovich the first of the Romanoffs, was celebrated today with much pomp throughout the empire.

The feature of the day was the imperial procession to the Kazan cathedral where the emperor and empress were greeted by the metropolitan bearing the cross and a vessel of holy water. Peals rang out from all the church bells in the city as the imperial party entered.

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1 pkg Seeded Raisins	25c
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1 lb Fancy Toilet Paper	25c
Fancy Carolina Rice 3 lbs	25c
Tender Early June Peas 3 cans	25c
3 large cans Hominy	25c
6 cans Oil Sardines	25c
1 lbs New Navy Beans	25c
1 can Tender String Beans	25c
2 large cans Pie Pumpkin	25c
Beesch's Maracabo Blend Coffee	25c
Washing Powders any kind	25c
6 packages	25c
bars Lenox Soap	25c
1 large cans Sauer Kraut	25c
7 cans Solid Packed Tomatoes	25c
3 lbs Lima Beans	25c
10 lb sack Fine Table Salt	25c
Grated Pineapple, large cans	25c
1 lbs best Bulk Starch	25c
Extra fine quality Spinach	25c
2 cans	25c
Libby's Chili Con Carne 3 cans	25c
California Asparagus Tips 25c	25c
3 1/2 lbs Marrow Fat Beans	25c

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Items of Interest About Our Neighbors In Surrounding Towns

HAVERDAM.

J. T. Huber entertained the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huber, Sunday. Mrs. Williams and Frederick remained for a longer visit with her parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardesty were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Tomkins at their home near Lima, Tuesday.

Reverend Webster of Findlay is conducting a series of revival meetings at the United Brethren church at Lewis' Corners, two miles west of here. He is assisted by an able evangelist. Large crowds are attending, and much interest shown.

DELPHOS.

The Tourist club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. J. Steinhilber on east Fourth street. The lesson was the first and second acts of Shakespeare's "Cymbeline."

Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock the funeral services over the remains of Kiriaka Markoff, Macedonian, who was killed by a Pennsylvania train east of Delphos, Friday afternoon, were held at the Methodist church by the Rev. Nicholas Veloms, of Indianapolis, Ind., a minister of the Greek Catholic church of which the deceased was a member. The regular services of the Greek faith being carried out at the church and cemetery. The deceased has been in this country only about four months. His body was laid to rest in the West Side cemetery, far away from home, loving parents and friends.

The Wm. D. Russell and Sons sewing club was entertained at the home of Mrs. E. B. Mauk, of W. Third St., Tuesday afternoon. The ladies spent the afternoon doing needlework, after which a very dainty lunch was served.

Mrs. L. H. Huber entertained the Sorosis at her home on east Third street Monday afternoon. The study for the afternoon was the first and second acts of "A Mid-Summer Night's Dream," with Mrs. C. M. Woods as leader, and Mrs. Dana Ward as critic. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Dana Ward on March 12.

Mrs. C. M. Woods went to Nebraska Tuesday, to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. Arthur C. Feltz was in Lima, Tuesday, on a business trip.

The eight hour law for the postal carriers went into effect here Monday of this week. The hours of all the mail carriers except Clarence Juddins, extra carrier, have been changed so that they work only eight hours a day and these within ten consecutive hours.

Mr. Lloyd Wagner who, recently passed the civil service examination has gone to Chicago Junction, Ohio, where he will take up a position in the mail service of the B. & O. railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Clark were visited over Sunday by their son, Edgar. Edgar Clark is employed as an operator on the Pennsylvania near Ft. Wayne, Ind.

The Kramer millinery store has employed a new trimmer for the spring season. Mrs. Maud Vorbees, of Cincinnati, is the lady who has taken the position and she arrived here Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl James, of Frankfort, Ind., is the guest of Mrs. R. G. Kennedy, at her home on west Third street.

Miss Lucy Rahrig went to Lima Wednesday afternoon on a business trip.

Mrs. Albert Max and son went to Lima for a short visit with friends.

BLUE LICK.

Mrs. Elmer Early returned home Tuesday from a visit with her parents in Williams county, Ohio.

Mrs. Retta Miller visited Tuesday with Mrs. Effie Roberts.

Wm. McNeets moved into the Fairbairn house, Wednesday.

Milo Roberts and his son, L. W. Roberts, made a business trip to Chicago, Monday.

Miss Lotta Bassitt was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Saum, in Ada, Saturday and Sunday.

Several of the Bath township teachers attended the county teachers' examination at Lima, Saturday.

Glenn Brierly, Noah Spitzer, Harry Driver, Mattie Michael and Mary Burns visited Sunday at J. A. Vore's.

Mrs. J. K. Roush has returned from a visit with her daughter, in Illinois.

Mrs. A. J. Armentrout spent last week in Lima, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Daniels.

Mrs. Albert Joseph and children, of Michigan, spent last week with

Mrs. Dan. Armentrout.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richie, of Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gant, of Lima, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Joseph.

Mrs. Ella Early and Mrs. Sarah Byerly visited Friday at J. W. Mack's.

Delmer Beery and family, Ammi Miller and wife, spent Tuesday at J. C. Elliott's.

Mrs. Mary Lauder, Mrs. Ella Early and Mrs. Sarah Byerly were the guests of Mrs. Lisa Nieswander, Thursday.

Mr. Ralph Elliott and Miss Ruth Preble, of Lima, visited with his parents, Sunday.

Instead of the regular literary society at Blue Lick next Friday night, Hon. N. W. Cunningham, of Bluffton, will give a lecture on his "Travels Around the World."

ELIDA.

Charles Kiracoffe has purchased an 80 acre farm in Sugar Creek township.

The W. C. T. U., which met on Monday evening with Mrs. B. F. Sherrick, was attended by 22 members and four visitors. The latter included Mrs. William Lang, Mrs. H. M. Sherrick, Mrs. John Noggle and Miss Mary Keeler. The regular business was called for and transacted. The lesson for the evening was rendered: Musical number.

Recitation, "You and I," Margaret John.

Musical number.

Recitation, "The First Snowfall," Gladys Noggle.

Program concluded.

The beautiful white ribbon ceremony was then used and woven around the new members—Mrs. Edna Anderson, Mrs. Adda Jones, Mrs. Lulu Counsellor and Mrs. Mildred Huffer. Mesdames Brunk, Morgan, Desenberg and A. O. John assisted the president in weaving the ribbon.

Remarks were then made by the president, exhorting us to gain new members.

The meeting closed with song and W. C. T. U. benediction, after which dainty refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Clara Leidy.

Mrs. Charles Herr of near Lafayette, came Saturday and spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Cyrus Clutter.

Messrs. C. A. and Earl Furry have been quite busy moving the Gomer switchboard into the B. F. Pugh residence. The daughter, Miss Edna Pugh, has charge of it, and the building was leased for five years.

Mrs. Phil Schnabel of Lima, spent Tuesday at her parents' home.

Mrs. W. L. Bechtel has gone to Lima to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mack to nurse the latter's mother, who is ill.

The Elida High school attended revival services at Bethel chapel, Monday evening.

Miss Hazel Deitrick of Lima, has been spending a few days at the F. P. John home.

Don Hitchcock spent Sunday in Lima with his brother, Clay Hitchcock, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crites and children took Tuesday dinner with L. E. Crites and wife.

Rev. Hook and wife spent Wednesday at the country home of Blake Harris and wife, of Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bechtel were Wednesday guests of Delphos relatives.

Chas. Keller is having his property remodeled. When completed it will be occupied by Abe Shope and family.

The Elida Mutual telephone directors held a meeting recently at which time it was decided to purchase a double switchboard as the single board now in use can no longer meet with the demands of the people. C. A. Furry was hired as manager for the company for another year.

Bart Laman and family of near Delphos, moved on the D. D. Miller farm, northeast of town.

Tom Stinebuck and wife have purchased the B. F. Sherrick farm, just north of town.

Mr. Hobensack and family, who live just east of the corporation limits, are preparing to move to Roundhead.

Delbert McBride of the county infirmary, spent one day, recently in our burg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shultz have recently welcomed a little son into their home.

Roa Carr visited her sister, Mrs. Walter Lutz, of Zion, over Sunday.

At the M. E. church, Miss Daryl Baxter's Sunday school class secured the highest average in attendance for the year 1912. They will be banqueted by the remainder of the school and each one will also receive a present. This will occur in the near future. The enrollment in this class is 40 pupils.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Brennenman was buried Wednesday afternoon. The babe did not live to see the light of day.

Mrs. H. M. Sherrick spent Wednesday at the country home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Keeler.

Dr. D. W. Steiner of Lima, was here on professional business, Tuesday and Wednesday. Wednesday afternoon he performed an operation on Bert Conrad, who has been ill.

NEW YORK WIDOW BEATEN TO DEATH IN BRUTAL MANNER.

New York, March 6.—Mrs. Katherine Godfrey, a young widow, was found murdered early today in her flat. Her head and face had been horribly battered, presumably with a club. The police attribute the crime to gangsters. Three men who reported the killing to the police were detained as material witnesses. They said they had called to see the young woman and found her dead.

BOB GORDON OF ST. MARYS

Elected Sergeant at Arms
of New National
House.

LIVELY CONTEST
WITH ALBANY MAN.

Clark and Underwood Re-
nominated Without
Opposition.

Washington, March 6.—The dominant party in the lower house of congress has paved the way to carry out its tariff program at the extra session to be called by President Wilson about April 1.

Speaker Clark has been renominated; Representative Underwood of Alabama, again chosen chairman of the ways and means committee, the entire democratic personnel of that tariff-making body named, and all the house officers renominated at a harmonious six-hour caucus of the democrats of the house of the Sixty-third congress, Wednesday. The caucus was held in the house chamber, and 270 of the 290 house democrats were present.

The following were nominated for ratification by the house when it meets in extra session on April 1: Speaker—Champ Clark, of Missouri.

Ways and Means Committee—Representatives Underwood, of Alabama, chairman; Francis Burton Harrison, New York; Dorsey W. Shackleford, Missouri; Claude Kitchin, North Carolina; Henry T. Rainey, Illinois; Lincoln Dixon, Indiana; Cordell Hull, Tennessee; W. S. Hammond, Minnesota; Andrew J. Peters, Massachusetts; A. Mitchell Palmer, Pennsylvania; Timothy T. Anseberry, Ohio; John S. Garner, Texas (new); James W. Collier, Mississippi (new); Augustus O. Stanley, Kentucky (new).

Republican members are to be chosen in April.

Clerk of the House—South Trimble, Kentucky.

Doorkeeper—J. J. Sinnott, Virginia.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Robert B. Gordon, Ohio.

Postmaster—William M. Dunbar, Georgia.

Chaplain—Rev. Henry N. Couden, Washington, D. C., formerly of Harrison, Ohio.

The democratic members of the ways and means committee will commence the final revision of the tariff next Friday, taking up the work where the democratic constituting the majority of the committee in the last session of congress left it as a "tentative basis."

There will be a tariff caucus, when the extra session convenes, to pass upon the report.

The caucus was marked by a good deal of speech making and enthusiasm. All the nominations for offices were by acclamation except that for sergeant-at-arms, on which there was a lively contest that resulted in Gordon's choice over former Representative W. H. Ryan of Albany, N. Y., on a vote of 138 to 115.

You can say goodbye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by all dealers.

MORTON IMPROVED.

New York, March 6.—The condition of Levi P. Morton was pronounced improved this morning. He suffered from hardening of the arteries and has been in a precarious state for several days.

IF YOU HAVE ANY SKIN TROUBLE, READ THESE STATEMENTS

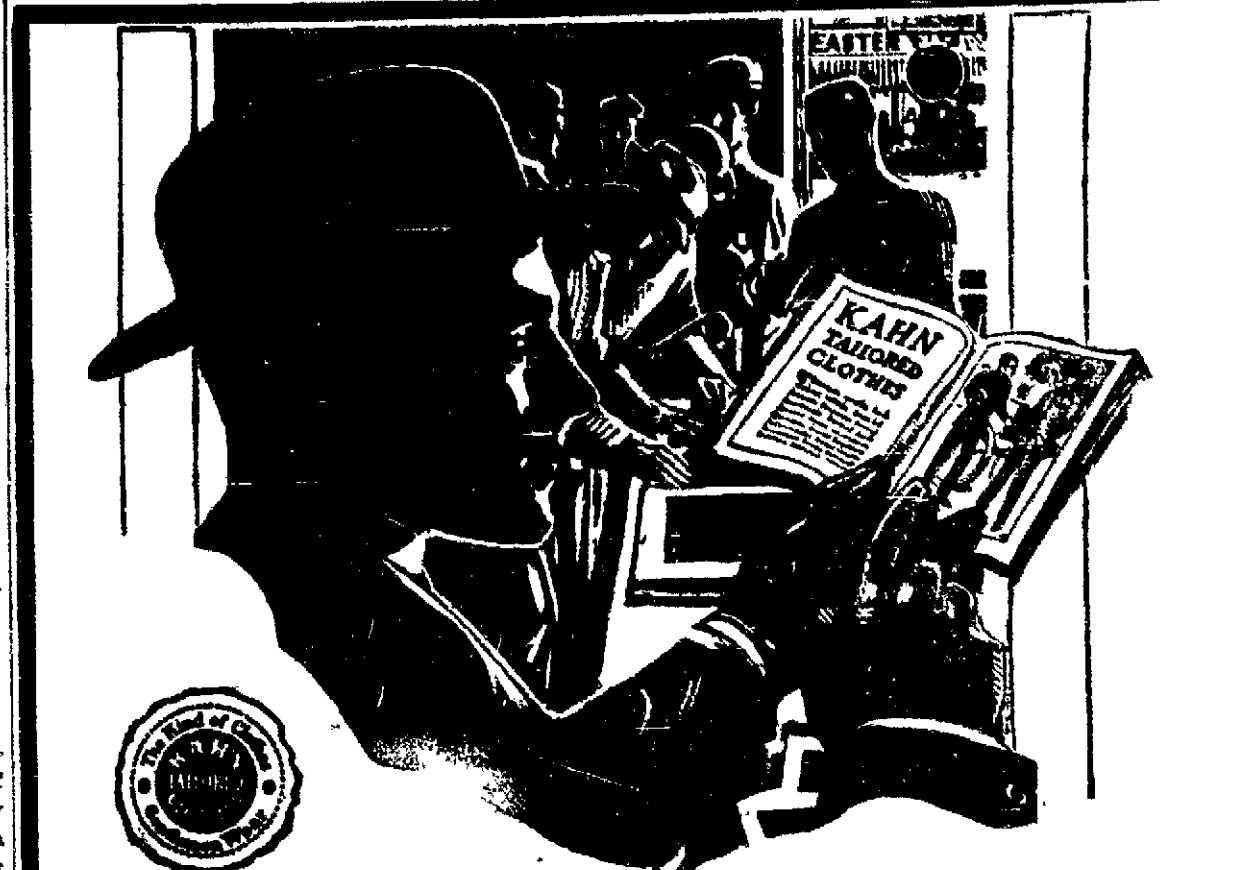
"I suffered from Erysipelas for 30 years and could obtain only temporary relief, although I tried various remedies and treated with the best doctors. My face was a dreadful sight and I could not see. I heard of Hokers and purchased a jar. It gave immediate relief and in a short time entirely cured me. I have not been troubled with Erysipelas since. E. P. Holt, 1011 Rock St., Little Rock, Ark."

"Until about two years ago I suffered with Eczema since a small child. It was all over my body, even in my hair and on the bottom of my feet. I bought about one dozen jars of Hokers from my druggist and it cured me. I am now entirely well and have been well for over two years. Mrs. J. T. Fleming, 1162 West First St., Joplin, Mo."

"I suffered with Eczema for over 20 years. The affected parts were so sore and tender that I was obliged to have cushions put in bed to keep the bedclothes from touching me. For a long time I suffered so that I could not sleep until after utter exhaustion. Hokers gave me instant relief and in a short time entirely cured me. Hokers is a wonderful remedy. Mrs. Mary A. Gray, Box 52, Andover, Ohio."

"I had Rheumatic Eczema and the pain was so intense that I could not sleep, and was continually groaning in pain. My doctor gave me several remedies, but they gave me very little relief. My druggist advised me to try Hokers, and it gave me immediate and satisfying relief. It will do all that is claimed for it. Albert C. Page, 16 Arlington St., Portland, Me."

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PERMISSION FOR MERGER

Granted Lima Telephone
Co. By State Commission Yesterday.

SCHEDULE OF RATES IN DOUBT.

Committee Will Protest On
Schedule Fixed By the
Company.

Permission to purchase the Lima plant of the Central Union company at the proposed price of \$205,000, was granted the Lima Telephone & Telegraph company by a decision of the Ohio public service commission yesterday. By the same decision permission was given the Central Union company to make the sale.

No action was taken by the commission on the petition of the Lima Telephone & Telegraph company to increase its capital stock from \$200,000 to \$250,000 for the purpose of financing the deal, but it is expected that an order granting this right will soon be issued by the commission. When this is done, the Lima company will prepare its schedule of rates for the approval of the commission. A hearing will follow, at which any one so desiring can protest against the rates.

All opposition to the proposed merger has been one of opposition to the proposed rates to be charged by the Lima company after the merger is made. A committee was appointed to represent the people at the public service hearing by the mass meeting held in the court house about three months ago, and this committee will be on hand when the hearing is held to protest against the rates, which the members claim are unfair.

The company, on the other hand, claims that the rates are fair, and will yield no more than a fair return on the investment after everything is taken into consideration.

George X. Cannon, an expert in the employ of the state public service commission, said in Lima several days some time ago making an investigation of local conditions, and the commission will no doubt be in possession of the most important facts when they sit in judgment at the hearing.

MANY A SUFFERING WOMAN
Drags herself painfully through her daily task suffering from backache, nervousness, and loss of sleep, not knowing her ills are due to kidney and bladder trouble. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief from pain and misery, a prompt return to health and strength. No woman who suffers can afford to overlook Foley Kidney Pills.

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LYRIC THEATRE.

The Barrett Players will offer for the last half of this week the great comedy drama, "Beechwood," a play that will prove highly entertaining and amusing. Filled with a heart story that holds the rapt attention of all, yet having a rich fund of comedy that keeps one laughing constantly. "Beechwood" tonight, Friday and Saturday nights, with a special matinee Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. You will enjoy "Beechwood."

BEST FOR SKIN DISEASES.

Nearly every skin disease yields quickly and permanently to Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and nothing is better for burns or bruises. Soothers and heals. John Doye, of Gladwin, Mich., says, after suffering twelve years with skin ailment and spending \$400 in doctors' bills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by H. F. Vortkamp.

TALL BUILDINGS MUST BE BOUGHT ON THE WAY HOME.

New York, March 6.—Nearly twice as many persons as left New York for the inauguration of President Wilson are now pouring into the city from Washington, according to the estimates of railroad authorities. The odds is explained by the estimate that nearly 100,000 travelers from the south and west, who were in Washington Tuesday, are paying New York a visit before they go home. A conspicuous party of arrivals was that of 125 girls of Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., March 6.—Fore-
cast for Ohio:
Generally fair tonight and Fri-
day; rising temperature Friday.

Senator John Cunningham, of
Knox county, and Representative
W. M. Brown, of Ashland county,
chairmen of the committees on agri-
culture of both houses of the general
assembly, have issued a joint state-
ment in which both declare in favor
of the agricultural commission bill,
which provides for a consolidation of
all the agencies of state government
that are engaged in agricultural ac-
tivities or pursuits closely allied to
that science. Both men are success-
ful farmers and both have been for
years active leaders in movements to
better the conditions of agricultur-
ists.

"Wherever the people understand
the provisions of the bill for the
proper co-ordinating of the ener-
gies of the different agricultural de-
partments, the sentiment is always
overwhelmingly with Governor Cox
and members of the general as-
sembly from the agricultural coun-
ties, who are actively supporting the
measure," say Senator Cunningham
and Representative Brown.

"The only opposition which could
possibly develop to this proposed
plan must necessarily come from
some paid lobbyists in the interest of
some political organization," con-
tinued the two. "The program for
the unification of the state authori-
ties for better agriculture in Ohio
commends itself to all men genuinely
interested in developing the agricul-
tural interests of the state. There
is no reason why there should be a
division of effort in this work, and
duplication and even triplication of
effort should be eliminated.

"The state farmers' institute has
gone on record in favor of the gen-
eral purposes proposed in this bill.
The institute adopted the following:
'We favor the co-operation of agri-
cultural promotion work in such
manner as will eliminate duplication
of work and such waste of effort or
expenditure of public funds.'

"The agricultural papers were
right when they endorsed Governor
Cox in this movement and said: 'He
is honest and sincere in his efforts
to promote efficiency in every agri-
cultural department and we feel con-
fident that no interest will have any
cause to fear as a result of the pro-
posed change.'"

THE STOMACH IN HUNGER.

The hundredth anniversary of the
entry of one of America's pioneer
medical investigators, Dr. William
Beaumont, into the practice of medi-
cine was fittingly commemorated
last year. The devoted efforts of
this undaunted man of science—a
backwoods psychologist, as Oliver has
suggestively designated him—have
furnished the inspiration to a num-
ber of successors to repeat the ob-
servations which Beaumont made on
his famous subject Alexis St. Martin,
the man with the "lid on his
stomach."

Recently Professor Carlson, of the
University of Chicago, has made a
number of observations on a young

man in normal health who for the
last 16 years has fed himself through a
permanent opening in the stomach
wall owing to complete closure of the
esophagus as the result of acci-
dentally drinking a strong solution
of caustic soda. He has furnished
some interesting and conclusive con-
tributions to the physiology of hun-
ger.

There have been diverse theories
of hunger from earlier days to the
present era. Until quite recently it
has been widely believed that hunger
is a general bodily sensation with a
local reference to the stomach.

Some authorities have vigorously
combated this view, and maintain
that hunger is not a general sensa-
tion. Experiments have led to the
conclusion that hunger results from
powerful contractions of the
stomach. With this general view the
observations which Carlson has now
been able to make on his new sub-
ject are in accord. He finds that the
empty stomach exhibits, at least dur-
ing the first 24 hours after a meal,
two types of rhythmic movements;
one is feeble but continuous; the
other consists of strong contractions.
In the earlier periods of hunger at
any rate, the empty stomach is
never completely at rest. Hunger,
or the lack of it, is a condition which
at times commands the considerate
attention of the physician. The ab-
sence of hunger in fevers can now
be accounted for by the total cessa-
tion of all movements of the stomach
in serious infections. This also ex-
plains the inordinate appetites of
certain phases of nervous patients.
Physiologic observations on an occa-
sional unfortunate individual, says
The Journal of the American Medi-
cal Association, serve a useful pur-
pose by directing attention to numer-
ous little-understood and hitherto
unexpected manifestations of dis-
ease.

THE AMERICAN VOCABULARY.

The division of education of the
Sage Foundation, after examining
2,000 business and personal letters,
arrives at the conclusion that the
average American finds 2,000 words
sufficient to express every physical
need and spiritual aspiration. Small
as this allowance is when one con-
siders the rich storehouse of English
speech, most of us will be surprised
to hear that it isn't actually smaller;
we should probably have said of-
hand that the average vocabulary
was between 1,200 and 1,500 words.
Conducting its investigation still
further, however, the foundation as-
sures us that the public schools
teach their pupils to spell 15,000
words—a vocabulary that probably
few literary men make use of.
Shakespeare is said to have used 18,-
000 words, and most of us were
taught that Shakespeare's vocabu-
lary is the most extensive in Eng-
lish literature. Allowing for the dif-
ference in mind and fancy, the aver-
age man would certainly find 15,000
words adequate, if he really had
them to command. In practice he
forgets, or at all events finds no use
for 85 per cent of the words taught
him in school. The inevitable con-
clusion is that the average American
is needlessly restricting his intellec-
tual and emotional life, for words, if
not exactly thoughts, are at least the
machinery by which alone thought
can be expressed. Men are vastly
eager to learn how to live a hundred
years, but if you venture to suggest
that, by the simple expedient of in-
creasing their vocabulary they can
also increase the possibilities of life,
they fancy you are a bit mad.—Chi-
cago Record Herald.

GOOD WAY TO
DO BUSINESS.

Melville Drug Company Sell Reliable
Kennedy at Half-Price and
Guarantee a Cure.

When one can buy gold dollars
for fifty cents, it is a good time to
purchase.
In ordering a 50c bottle of Dr.
Howard's celebrated specific for the
cure of constipation and dyspepsia
at 25 cents, the Melville Drug Com-
pany is giving one of the greatest
trade chances ever offered to the
people of Lima.

If food does not digest well, if
there is gas or pain in the stomach,
if the tongue is coated and the
breath bad, if there is constipation
and straining Dr. Howard's specific
will cure you. If it does not, you
have the Melville Drug Company's
personal guarantee to return your
money.

Dr. Howard's specific gives quick
relief and makes permanent cures
of constipation, dyspepsia and all
liver troubles.
These are strong statements, but
the Melville Drug Company are giv-
ing their customers a chance to
prove their truth at just half the
regular price—sixty cents for 25
cents. If they are not found true,
all you have to do is ask for your
money.

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BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

The only Baking Powder made
from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

KENNEDY
MEASURE
APPROVED.

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"There will be many objections af-
ter the politicians of the state ac-
quaint themselves with the provi-
sions of the measure," said Senator
Friebohn.

The following bills were acted
upon this morning by the house of
representatives:

Passed on second reading.

H. B. No. 310. Mr. Smith, But-
ler. Permitting guardians and trust-
ees to borrow money and mortgage
real estate under orders of probate
court.

H. B. No. 329. Mr. Dier, of Ma-
honing. Establishing municipal
court at Youngstown.

H. B. No. 88. Mr. Collins, of
Stark. Five hundred dollars fine for
combination to raise price of food-
stuffs.

H. B. No. 33. Mr. Williams, of
Lorain. Making carrying of
weapons a felony.

H. B. No. 204. Mr. Venus, of
Huron. Providing fees from build-
ing and loan associations to meet ex-
penses of department.

H. B. No. 188. Mr. Kennedy, of
Allen. Establishes building and
loan department as a separate state
department. Increases salary in-
spector from \$3,000 to \$4,800.

Resolution offered and adopted:

H. R.—Mr. Tellow, of Columbi-
ana. Regretting the death of Harry
D. Thomas, of Cleveland, who was a
member of the constitutional con-
vention, and secretary of the Ohio
Federation of Labor.

THE PARAGRAPHERS.

A Route to Popularity.
The way to be popular is to listen
patiently to those who like to talk
about them.—Toledo Blade.

A Perpetual Hope.
One thing we still hope in our
old-fashioned way is that when we
get petticoat government it won't
turn out to be bloomer government.
—Ohio State Journal.

Old Monopoly Hit Hard.
With the conviction of the cash
register, bath tub and stove last
trials for violation of the Sherman
law, it begins to look as if Old Man
Monopoly is being hit rather hard.
—Sandusky Star-Journal.

There's a Difference.
The Columbus Judge who ruled
that a leg is of much greater value
than a hand should remember that
it makes all the difference in the
world whether the victim is a jug-
ler or a chorus girl.—Youngstown
Telegram.

Considering Its Worth.
While no mistaken ideas of econ-
omy should be permitted to inter-
fere with the efficiency of Ohio's
school system, no reasonable person
should object to a survey of the sit-
uation to determine whether or not
the taxpayers are getting a hundred
cents' worth of efficiency for every
dollar now expended.—Cincinnati
Enquirer.

The Moral's Plain.
Exceptions have been taken to
the assertion of that Chicago mental
hygienist that persons become insane
through worry, and that they must
have brains in order to worry. In
other words, it takes brains to make
a madman. Nevertheless, the moral
is just as good either way. Don't
worry.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Clogs.

Clogs, against which the Lancashire
mill girls are rebelling, were at one
time worn by women of all classes.
The more refined variety of the clog
had a thin wooden sole, which was
cut transversely in two pieces, at-
tached to each other by a hinge. Dainty
brass and polished leather apurte-
nances gave a flash to the article.
Anne Bracegirdle, the most beautiful
actress of her day, was a wearer of
clogs. Horace Walpole relates in one
of his letters that "Mrs. Bracegirdle
breakfasted with me this morning. As
she went out and wanted her clogs she
turned to me and said, 'I remember at
the playhouse they used to call for
Mrs. Oldfield's chair, Mrs. Barry's
clogs and Mrs. Bracegirdle's pattens.'"
—London Spectator.

A Study in Arithmetic.
"I don't wonder," said a twelve-year-
old to his dad, "that people come to
the United States from those outland-
ish regions beyond the seas, where
folks use the Roman system of numera-
tion. Just imagine a kid going to
school there and being given this kind
of problem: MDVIX is divided by CI
how many times? Or, X multiplied by
VII equals XIX equals how much? Or,
CIV and XVI and LXIX minus MC
equals— Say, arithmetic is going to
look like a simple one and one are two
for me after this."—New York Tribune.

BATTLE ZONE HAS
MANY TRADITIONS

Scenes of War in Mexico City
Are Historic.

400 YEARS OF GREAT EVENTS

Stage Manager Could Not Have Found
More Romantic Setting—Was Seat of
Aztec Power—Taken by Conquistadores
of Cortes and Alvarado Scene
of Inquisition.

No better setting for the fight to de-
cide whether Francis I. Madero or Fel-
ix Diaz should rule in Mexico could
have been picked out by the best of
stage managers than the historic Plaza
de la Constitucion, the largest open
space in the City of Mexico. Upon this
front the most important buildings of
the capital, in themselves combining
memories of the past glories and great
events of the country. In its day, 400
years ago, the geographical center of
the great Aztec capital of Tenochtitlan,
the plaza, also known as the Plaza de
Armas, the Plaza Mayor, the Plaza de
la Catedral and the Zocalo—has wit-
nessed scores of stirring events. The
most tragic feature of the present con-
flict, perhaps, is that it threatens de-
struction to some of the most distin-
guished monuments of Mexico's great
past, links in the chain of tradition
which binds this Mexico of recurrent
revolt and modern aspiration with the
days of the Conquistadores, of Cortes
and Alvarado.

Temple of Aztec God.
On this Plaza de la Constitucion
stood the temple of Huitzilopochtli,
the Aztec god of war, and part of
it was included in the gardens sur-
rounding the enormous palace of Mo-
tetzuma, the Aztec emperor. Conver-
ging canals crossed its surface, inter-
secting it with impassable barriers.
Here in 1521 was fought one of the
most sanguinary battles between the
Spaniards and the natives, and after
the fall of Tenochtitlan before the
night of Cortes' arms the Spaniards
revenge themselves for all their suf-
ferings by wrecking the massive tem-
ple and palaces that ringed the square
and using the material thus obtained to
fill in the canals. As it stands today, in
fact, the plaza is a depository of quaint
Aztec sculptures, which every now and
then are brought to light by the pick
of the laborer.

Here in the plaza, after the Spanish
rule had been set up, the gallows was
built and the dread auto-de-fe of the
Inquisition was held. On Sept. 27,
1821, Augustin de Iturbide rode into
the square at the head of his victorious
army and was cheered as a liberator,
and on the night of May 18, 1822, he
and his wife crossed the square to the
cathedral to be crowned first Christian
emperor and empress of Mexico.

In this vicinity centered the great revolu-
tionary riot of December, 1828, and the
American troops bivouacked in the
plaza in 1847, during the occupation by
Scott's army. In 1864 it was the cen-
ter of the gay events of Maximilian's
brief reign, and here, too, on June 21,
1867, Porfirio Diaz was welcomed as a
liberator, even as was Iturbide. And
so it went through the rest of the cen-
tury.

The Palacio Nacional extends along
the entire eastern side of the plaza,
with a frontage of 675 feet, and oc-
cupies an entire city block. It is a gigan-
tic mass of buildings, two stories high,
with thick and ponderous walls, pierced
by a dozen or more patios and gate-
ways, and housing a dozen or so of the
government offices as well as a mu-
seum, galleries of records and snits of
state apartments. An army could be
hidden away in the hundreds of echo-
ing rooms and corridors contained in
its labyrinthine bulk, and its walls are
impervious to all but the heaviest canon.
A part of the extreme rear of the pile
constructed of a peculiar pluck native
stone was built by Cortes.

SEEK FOR TEMPLE OF ZEUS.
Princeton Expedition in Asia Minor to
Make Big Search.

Attempts to discover the temple of
Zeus will occupy the attention of the
Princeton expedition in Asia Minor for
the next six months. Professor Butler
of Princeton, who has just procured
permission from the Turkish govern-
ment to resume his work at Sardis and
who left for Smyrna recently, discus-
sied his project with a correspondent in
London before his departure.

"If we discover this we shall also
surely come to a tremendous find of
the palace of Croesus," he said. "Be-
fore leaving Sardis last year, we dis-
covered a stone inscription in front of
the temple of Artemis, which we have
completely uncovered. It is said that
the great temple of Zeus was founded
by Alexander the Great on the ruins of
the palace of Croesus and not far away,
being in the same sacred enclosure, the
temple of Artemis. There is corroborat-
ing evidence of this on a coin of
Sardis now in the British museum,
which shows the temples of Artemis
and Zeus side by side."

CHECK FOR \$41,000
SIGNED BY MRS. MILLS
FOUND ON SIDEWALK

Chicago, March 6.—A small black
purse containing a check for \$41,-
000 on the State Bank of Elkhart,
Ind., made payable to "H. L. Ste-
vens" and signed "Mrs. Mabel
Mills" was found on the sidewalk at
north Clark street, and Center ave-
nue last night by William J. Dibos,
a saloon keeper at 2100 north Hal-
stead street.

While the find appeared on the
surface to be genuine, the police
could not disregard the theory of a
hoax. This theory was strengthened
by the fact that Mrs. Mills has no
account at the Elkhart bank; that
she and Stevens apparently had no
business relations, and by the state-
ment of E. W. Mills, Mrs. Mills' hus-
band, at Kansas City, that it is "ab-
solute nonsense."

Dibos turned the check over to
the police.

It was dated March 1, 1913, the
date on which Mrs. Mills, now at
Kansas City, claims to have lost, or
been in some manner deprived of
\$41,000 in thousand dollar bills.

Mrs. Mills had taken dinner with
Mrs. H. L. Stevens, wife of the man
whose name is the same as that ap-
pearing on the check found by the
saloon man. She is supposed to
have lost the money that evening

after leaving the Stevens home
which is in the suburb of Evanston,
several miles north of the spot
where the check was found.

In the purse also were a number
of newspaper clippings recounting
real estate offers, some of which
had been checked off. Mrs. Mills is
in the real estate business at San
Antonio, Texas, her home.

Over the long distance telephone
Frank M. Sage, assistant cashier of
the First State Bank of Elkhart,
Ind., stated that Mrs. Mills has no
account there.

Big Mistake Somewhere.
Kansas City, Mo., March 6.—"That
is absolute nonsense," said E. W.
Mills, husband of Mabel Mills, when
informed that a check for \$41,000
signed by his wife had been found
on a street in Chicago. "Either the
report is based on false information
or the check is the work of a joker."

Mr. Mills said this wife had no con-
nection with an Elkhart bank and
that there was a big mistake some-
where.

Mills arrived here today to meet
Mrs. Mills who stopped here yester-
day on her way from Chicago to San
Antonio. He said Mrs. Mills was in
a highly nervous condition and that
she had come to take her home.

CHAIRMAN KERN NAMES
STEERING COMMITTEE OF
THE NEW U. S. SENATE

Washington, March 5.—Democrats
of the senate today resumed their
caucus to determine upon a plan of
re-organization of the senate and the
re-shaping of committees that are to
have charge of legislation in the new
congress.

Senator Kern of Indiana, chosen
caucus chairman and majority lead-
er in yesterday's session of the cau-
cus, had a long conference last night
with President Wilson and was pre-
pared today to discuss in some de-
tail with his colleagues the policies
and plans of the new administration.

Chairman Kern presented the fol-
lowing names of senators who are to
compose the steering committee to
make up democratic committee as-
signments, and they were unanim-
ously approved:

Senators Kern, Owen, Clarke,
Ark., Chamberlain, Martin, O'Gorman,
Smith, Georgia; Lea and Thomas,
Colorado.

Democratic leaders regard these
selections as carrying a majority rep-
resenting the progressive democratic
element of the senate. The commit-
tee assignments they make will be
presented later to the democratic
caucus for ratification.

NEGRO TO DIE TO-NIGHT
UNLESS PARDON BOARD
GIVES LEASE ON LIFE

Columbus, O., March 6.—The life
of Milton Smith, colored, under sen-
tence of death for first degree mur-
der may be saved by action of the
state pardon board today. Smith was
convicted of killing a Gallia county
farmer. The board recommends that
the penalty of electrocution be
changed to life imprisonment. If
Governor Cox complies, Smith will
not go to his death a few minutes
after midnight tonight, the time of-
ficially fixed for his electrocution.

Smith was convicted on the evi-
dence of a telephonic device, the first
of the kind to be used in a capital
punishment case.

MARRIED MAN
FACES UGLY CHARGE.

William Copeland, Second Hand
Dealer, Accused of Rape by
Young Girl.

An affidavit charging rape was
filed in Mayor Shooks' court this
afternoon against William Copeland,
36, of 840 east North street, by
Grace Roberts, a 17-year-old
girl who lives with her married sister
on east North street. A warrant was
immediately issued for Copeland's
arrest, and he will be arraigned be-
fore the mayor some time this after-
noon on the charge.

The alleged offense was commit-
ted in house on east North street
which the Roberts girl's sister re-
cently rented from Copeland on the
afternoon of February 25th. Ac-
cording to the girl's story, she had
gone to the house to see Copeland
about some furniture which he was
going to sell them.

No mention of the affair was made
to the sister until yesterday, when
she found seventy-five cents in the
house belonging to the Roberts girl.
Questioned as to how she came to
have the money, the girl finally told
her sister that Copeland had given
her the money to keep quiet.

Accompanied by her father and
sister, the young girl went to the
police station this afternoon, where
an affidavit charging Copeland with
rape was filed. The girl was closely
questioned by Chief Earnest and in-

terviewed by the mayor before the affidavit was pre-
pared.

Copeland, who is in the second-
hand store business on east North
street, is married.

AMBULANCE TRIPS.

The Whitley ambulance last even-
ing removed Mrs. Thomas Galloway
from the city hospital to her home
on west North street.

Mrs. Ella Gillespie was this after-
noon removed from 516 south Main
street to the Erie depot, where she
boarded the afternoon train for Col-
umbus.

LIMA STAMP
OF APPROVAL.

Placed on "The Iron Door" by a Pit-
ifully Small Audience at the
Faurot Last Night.

Coming to Lima without the pres-
tige of a metropolitan endorsement,
and having no "stars" emblazoned
in its cast, "The Iron Door," John
Cort's new production which he is
booking through a series of one-
night stands, preparatory to its
opening for an extended engagement
at the Chicago Opera House next
week, played to the smallest busi-
ness of the season at the Faurot
opera house last evening.

The large majority of Lima's the-
atre-goers were afraid to risk their

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attendance upon a play of which
they had heard so little, and as a
result, missed one of the real dra-
matic treats of the season. It isn't
often that the opportunity is given
Lima people to judge the merits of a
new production before it has had
of it the approval of the reviewers
of the larger cities, and judg-
ment from last evening's audience, the in-
novation is not a profitable one.
Even the names of John Cort and
number of recognized artists in the
theatrical profession failed to assure
the theatre-going public in this city
that they would see something
worth while.

The general theme of "The Iron
Door" is not a new one, although
the author has handled it in a man-
ner somewhat different from the
rest. It is the story of the evolu-
tion of a man, reared in poverty
and want, whom hunger and sick-
ness has driven to commit the crime
of larceny, for which he is sen-
tenced to prison for four years.

Years after his release, he be-
comes a power in politics, and has
in his hands the destiny of the
judge who sentenced him to prison.
Just as the opportunity is given him
to crush the man upon whom he had
sworn eternal hatred, the con-
viction dawns upon him that he is
avenging himself upon a man who
is absolutely honest, and his true
nature asserts itself. Love of his
judge's adopted daughter, who has
been his mentor through his
trials and tribulations has much to
do with his giving up the idea of
vengeance.

"The Iron Door" is the work of
a new playwright, Allan Davis, and
was first presented by a stock com-
pany at the Duquesne theatre, Pitts-
burg, last winter. It is in a pro-
logue and three acts, and is in-
tensely dramatic throughout, the
most intense action being evident
in the prologue, an unusual hap-
pening.

Gortles Giles, the young actor who
created the part of James McGill,
the convict-politician at Pittsburgh
last winter, was given the same role
by Mr. Cort when he assembled the
present company, and no matter
what the fate of the play itself may
be, Giles' future is assured. To him
and Russ Whittle as the judge, fell
the burden of the work of the main
element, and both gave splendid por-
trayals of the leading roles. Inter-
ests was maintained in the piece by
clever character acting on the part
of the other main members of the
cast.

Frances Slosson, as Alice Wil-
field, was perfection itself in the
role of the judge's adopted daugh-
ter, while the portrayal of the re-
sponsive sister by Ann Bradley, the
most bit of acting in the entire pro-
duction. The small audience at the Faurot
last evening concurred in the favor-
able opinion of "The Iron Door,"
which has been recorded everywhere
the company has visited during its
short sojourn in the province.

BANQUET OF THE LAYMEN

Will Be Attended By Over
600 Guests From Lima
and Ajar.

NOTABLE MEN
WILL SPEAK.

Convention of Laymen's
Missionary Movement
Opens Today.

Over three hundred prominent laymen from the various Protestant churches of northwestern Ohio, as well as distinguished guests from afar are expected to attend the banquet to be given to the delegates of the Lima convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, at Memorial Hall, Friday evening. Delegates from this city will swell the total number of guests to over six hundred.

The banquet will be served in the main auditorium of Memorial hall, but on account of the large number that will have to be provided for, tables will be set in the small rooms leading from the main auditorium to accommodate the overflow.

The banquet will serve as a fitting close to the convention of laymen interested in the world-wide movement started in New York a few years ago which opened Thursday morning at Market Street Presbyterian church, at 10:30 o'clock. Leading church men from all over the state, particularly from the territory surrounding Lima, are in attendance, and impetus will be given to a movement which has for its aim civic betterment and an awakening of interest in all that makes for the moral and spiritual welfare of the community.

E. A. Gramm, chairman of the local executive committee, will officiate as chairman of the meeting to follow the banquet at Memorial hall. Seats will be reserved for the delegates, while a portion of the balcony will be reserved for ladies, who will be admitted free of charge.

The principal address of the evening will be delivered by J. Campbell White, of New York City, head of the Laymen's Missionary Movement of the World, who will speak on the subject, "The Decline and Fall of Christian History." Lima people are fortunate in deed to be privileged to listen to an address from a man of such world-wide prominence, and it is expected that Memorial hall will be filled to overflowing Friday evening.

Other speakers for the evening include L. P. Moore, of Chicago, who will speak on "Men and Missions," and Dr. Stephen J. Corey, of Cincinnati, whose subject will be "God at Work in Africa."

Convention Opened Today.

The opening session of the convention will be held Thursday morning at Market Street Presbyterian church, beginning at 10:30 o'clock. J. Campbell White will preside. The morning program started with an informal conference of pastors and laymen on the "Pastors' Missionary Problems," to be followed by addresses by Dr. J. C. Floyd, of Chicago, and Dr. S. S. Hough, of Dayton. The former has been assigned the subject, "The Pastor, a Recruiting and Financial Force," while Dr. Hough will speak on "The Pastor, an Educational and Spiritual Force."

The feature of the afternoon session was the address of Dr. E. H.

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Richards, of Africa, on the subject, "Why the Black Man is Black." Dr. Richards has achieved international fame through the handling of this subject, excerpts from his address having been copied and commented upon by the leading publications of the present day. This feature alone should attract an audience that would tax the church to its capacity.

Other speakers during the afternoon and their subjects include: "The Crisis in Africa and the Far East," Dr. S. S. Hough; "Success Impossible Without Prayer," W. E. Doughty, New York.

The evening session will be called at 7:30 o'clock, and will be featured by addresses by Dr. E. H. Richards and W. E. Doughty. The subject assigned Dr. Richards is "The Dollar and Sense of Missions," and Mr. Doughty, "Men and the World Challenge."

Morning and afternoon sessions will be held at the Market Street Presbyterian church Friday, while at the noon hour, there will be a luncheon conference of the pastors and members of the executive committee with convention leaders, at which J. Campbell White will deliver an address. The convention will close with the banquet and meeting at Memorial hall, Friday evening.

vice chairmen, R. T. Gregg, M. U. Basinger, T. R. Hamilton, and C. E. Lynch; secretary-treasurer, F. C. Cunningham; finance, R. J. Plate; registration, T. P. Riddle; deputations, A. D. Hildreth; publicity, F. A. Burkhardt; statistics, C. E. Luch; dinner, Harry Thomas; entertainment, M. U. Basinger, Frank Eberhart, G. A. Herrett, Rev. H. J. Jewett, and Rev. F. A. Stiles, C. W. Hensel, executive secretary, of Detroit, is present to assist the local committee, headquarters for which is at the Y. M. C. A. building.

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THE STAGE

Faurot—"The Old Homestead." For more than a quarter of a century Denham Thompson's "The Old

Homestead" which comes to the Faurot next Saturday has been seen in the various cities throughout the country and the desire to witness it does not seem to show any abatement. It may well be called a problem play, the problem being how to account for the really phenomenal success which it has enjoyed through all the theatrical seasons that have intervened since Mr. Thompson first presented it to the public at the Boston theatre in the spring of 1885. In speaking of the success of his play, Mr. Thompson once said he had never doubted what the ultimate result would be if only he could succeed in convincing the theatregoing public that he was presenting on the mimic stage real live people and not the venerable pictures our fathers knew in the days of John Owens' "Sole Shingle" with his bar of apple sass. And when people began to realize after a while that way back in beyond days they had known characters like Uncle Josh, Cy Prime, Seth Perkins, Aunt Matilda and the rest they were not slow to come to the conclusion that at least the real Yankee farmer has been transplanted from the New England farm to the stage. "The Old Homestead" became a success from the start, and the reason it is so successful in this its twenty-seventh season is due to a great extent to the fact that the same attention is paid to detail as at the beginning, and that Mr. Frank Thompson, son of Mr. Denham

Thompson is and has been for years the personal director and manager. Seats for both matinee and night will be placed on sale Friday morning.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

Opening with the Five Jewels, Graceland Girl Jugglers, the Orpheum started off its bill for the last half of the week this afternoon before the usual large Thursday matinee crowd. The juggling girls came direct from Toledo where they were headlining on the bill at the Arcade the first three days.

Skelly, Noe & Johnson, singers, talkers and rathskeller entertainers are also a big part of the bill. Smith & Summers present "An Hour an Agent," Roberts and Fulton gave a delightful comedy act and Grace Darling does a contortion stunt that is marvelous. New run pictures show each performance, and the engagement is for the remainder of the week, with the usual popular matinee Friday and Saturday.

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FIFTY ATTEND TRAFFIC MEET.

"Express Companies and the Public" Theme of Address of Vice President Ward.

More than 50 local and out-of-town members of the Lima Transportation club attended the regular meeting of the organization held last evening in the club rooms at the Norval Hotel. The principal address of the evening was made by A. T. Ward, vice president of the club, who spoke on the subject, "Express Companies and the Public."

In the language of Ward, the interstate commerce commission has been a potent factor in placing express companies on a more efficient basis and to prove his statement, dwell upon each point in the express company problem before the commission. He handled the subject step by step from the earliest express companies to the present day, and stated that regulation of the express companies means regulation of the transportation business.

The subject, "Tracing of Shipments," was handled in three papers, one each, by Clark Bennett, of Lima, F. L. Tullis, of Chicago, and A. Brennehan of Lima. These papers provoked quite a general discussion in which the majority of those present took part.

REV. W. J. DEMPSTER TO SPEAK IN LIMA

Former Minister of the City is in Lima to be Speaker at Social Gathering.

Rev. W. J. Dempster, formerly pastor of Olivet Presbyterian church, now in charge of the First Presbyterian church at Urbana, was in Lima yesterday, meeting and greeting old friends and former parishioners. Rev. Mr. Dempster is much satisfied with his work in Urbana and says that conditions there are in every way, up to his expectations. Rev. Mr. Dempster was one of the speakers at a big gathering of Odd Fellows Thursday evening.

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islation on American
Tariff.

Men From Golden West
Want Equal Share on
Committees.

Washington, March 6.—Dem-
ocratic members of the new house of
representatives—the majority which
will shape legislation on the tariff
and other important measures—as-
sembled here for the first time
Wednesday not in formal session as
part of the new congress but in caucus
to organize for the work of the
coming session. The meeting was
held at the call of Representative
Burleson, of Texas, the caucus chair-
man, who becomes postmaster gen-
eral in President Wilson's cabinet.
Mr. Burleson's successor as caucus
chairman is Representative Mitchell
Palmer, of Pennsylvania, who is
closely identified with the new ad-
ministration and will be in a meas-
ure its exponent in the lower branch
of congress.

The first gathering of the new
democratic members brought out
the marked change in personnel
which came into effect Tuesday noon.
Among the new democratic members
who succeed well known veterans,
are Representatives Frank T. O'Hair
of Illinois, who succeeds "Uncle Joe"
Cannon; Jeremiah Donovan of Con-
necticut, who succeeds Ebenezer
Hill; Lazarus of Louisiana, who suc-
ceeds Mr. Pujo, chairman of the so-
called money trust committee; Del-
rich of Massachusetts, who succeeds
Samuel W. McCall, and the successor
of Representatives Longworth and
Cox of Ohio, the latter having be-
come governor. Representative Her-
man A. Motz, former controller of
New York, and Representative Lath-
rop Brown, who succeeds Martin Lit-
tleton of New York, are among the
new democratic members. Some of
the new members were not here for
the caucus, but a reasonable full
quota was on hand to map out the
work ahead. In all, there are 290
democratic members of the new con-
gress, or a majority of 145.

The caucus met to designate the
democratic membership of the new
ways and means committee, which
undoubtedly will be the same as that
of the last congress with the excep-
tion of three retiring members.

Among those prominently men-
tioned to succeed them are Garner
of Texas, Saunders of Virginia;
Stanley of Kentucky, and Bartlett
of Georgia. Representative Under-
wood of Alabama, it is conceded, will
continue as chairman.

The tariff bills also were to be
passed upon by the democratic caucus
before they are submitted to the
new house. This, however, is ex-
pected to come at a later stage, as
this first caucus dealt largely with
personnel.

Speaker Clark has had no opposi-
tion as democratic candidate for
speaker of the new house.

West Wants Share.
Before the caucus convened, rep-
resentatives from western states, in-
cluding Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota,
Colorado, California, Michigan, Ne-
braska, Montana, Arizona, New Mex-
ico and Wisconsin had a joint con-
ference, Wednesday, and formed an
organization to act as a unit as far
as possible in the same way that a
state delegation was chosen. Reso-
lutions were adopted calling for more
equitable distribution of committee
assignments and recognition of that
section of the country. There was
complaint that older members were
monopolizing better committee as-
signments, that there was too many
of the older members placed on the
judiciary committee and that the
new men should be recognized.

More Than Two-Thirds.
Every democrat in the caucus was
supplied with the caucus roll, which
embraced 290 names with 145 as a
quorum. The democrats now muster
in numerical strength one more than
two-thirds of the entire membership
of the house. Of the 290 democrats
101 are new members.
The western element including
some of the older men like Ham-
mond of Minnesota, who head the
combination for "mutual welfare
purposes political and social," called
the attention of the caucus to the
area represented by the west and the
comparatively little recognition ac-
corded it in the last congress.

New Senate Caucus.
Washington, March 6.—When the

MADERO BROTHERS OFT REPORTED DEAD REACH SAN ANTONIO

San Antonio, Tex., March 6.—
Emilio Madero, reported dead half a
dozen times, and Raoul Madero,
brothers of the late president of
Mexico, after a six hundred mile
horseback ride from Torreon, Mex-
ico, to Marathon, Texas, where they
crossed the border, reached San An-
tonio today. Twice during the jour-
ney they were attacked, making a
running fight of it once and the sec-
ond time escaping by their servants'
superior knowledge of the country.

They were met here by Gabriel
Madero, another brother, and all will
remain in San Antonio until after a
conference in New York between
Alfonso Madero and other members
of the family now enroute from Ha-
vana.

T. R. Beltran, a friend of the Ma-
deros who returned today from Sal-
tillo, Mexico, says that Governor
Carranza has 10,000 men at his dis-
posal to unseat General Huerta as
provisional president of Mexico.

What Would Happen If Christ were Member of Wilson's New Cabinet

Rev. E. A. Barnett, rector of the
Episcopal Church of Our Redeemer,
took as his text for his sermon the
theme, "What Would Happen If
Christ Were a Member of President
Wilson's Cabinet?"

The noted clergyman, who has one
of the largest congregations in this
city, had written to 50 famous men
and women and asked their opinions.
Forty-one of them replied and, while
nine of these were not pre-
pared to discuss it, some of the bet-
ter known writers, publicists and
men of affairs gave their views in
 terse form. Among those whom Dr.
Barnett quoted were the following:

Emile Berliner—"Pure idealism
is out of place in politics. Lincoln
would do better than Christ."

William Allen White—"Christ
would be the Secretary of Commerce
and Labor. His was the first and
greatest voice the poor ever had in
the world, and He would make a
same, effective member."

Robert J. Burdett—"It would not
increase his authority or His power.
If the president would be guided
by Christ's principles something
would happen."

John A. Wooley—"Christ will be
in that cabinet, and we shall see
what is going to happen."

Rear Admiral William Gibson—"There
would be a second crucifixion,
because all political parties are
dominated by the foes of Christ."

Joseph Fels—"He would insist on
the observation of the golden rule."

Richmond P. Hobson—"The
money changers would be driven

from the temple of the government
—particularly those who are traf-
ficking in health, morals and charac-
ter."

Poulney Bigelow—"He would be
ejected with less formality than
were He a member of the Roosevelt
cabinet."

Bliss Carmen—"Christ was a
teacher, not a statesman. He would
not belong to any faction."

Charles L. Chute—"He would be
a Socialist and the church would
crucify him again."

Jacob A. Riss—"There would be
an earthquake if Christ was in that
cabinet."

Dr. John Burroughs—"All the
big newspapers immediately would
be down on him."

George Ade—"I hate to predict."
"If Christ were Secretary of
State," Dr. Barnett said, "He would
not be an advocate of dollar diplo-
mats. If in the treasury not a bank
would be smeared with the blood of
oppression. As attorney general he
would abolish monopolies. There
would be no 14-million battle ships
if he was secretary of army or navy.
If secretary of the interior, or agri-
culture, he would help the industries,
and if secretary of commerce, he
would curb the rapacity of wealth,
while if he was secretary of labor
every child would be taken out of
mines and factories. He would be
assassinated probably and in 1953
monuments would be erected to his
memory and on the anniversary of
his birth there would be national
holidays to honor his memory."

Cincinnati Enquirer.

Democrats of the new senate met in
caucus today to elect a chairman,
there was no opposition to Senator
John W. Kern, of Indiana, as the
new leader. Senator Martin of Vir-
ginia, retiring democratic leader, de-
clared a few days ago he was glad
to lay down the responsibility of his
office. The retirement of Senator
Martin and the candidacy of Senator
Kern ends a long struggle for con-
trol of the senate of the 63rd con-
gress between the so-called progres-
sive democrats and the old conserva-
tives. It was generally understood
there would be no move to disturb
the old leaders in their committee
assignments.

Republican senators also held a
caucus this morning and selected as
their chairman and floor leader Sen-
ator Gallinger of New Hampshire.
They authorized Senator Gallinger
to select a committee on committees
which will have charge of filling the
republican places. There was no op-
position to the seniority rule.

Senator Kenyon of Iowa, was chosen
secretary of the republican caucus.
Senator La Follette was present,
but Senators Bristow, Poindexter,
and Clapp did not appear. The
two latter have been classed as mem-
bers of the progressive party, but re-
publicans today stated that Senator
Clapp would participate in republi-
can assignments.

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A meeting of the stockholders of
the Taylor Company is called at 2
o'clock p. m., March 20th, at its
principal office, 526 east Penn ave-
nue, Lima, Ohio. The purpose of
the meeting is to dissolve the com-
pany and surrender its corporate
authority and franchises.

J. TAYLOR,
President.

Feb 20th-tu-frimo

TRINITY LADIES' NOTICE.

Division No 12 of the Ladies' Aid
of Trinity church will meet with
Mrs. Vetter, 112 north Central ave-
nue, opposite the Ohio Electric sta-
tion, next Friday afternoon at 2
o'clock. Business of importance
will be brought up at this meeting
and every member is urged to be
present.

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ing This Evening.

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ing Knight.

This evening's regular meeting of the Lima Lodge, No. 54, B. P. O. Elks, will be featured by the annual election of officers, an event that always brings out a large attendance on the part of the members. There are few contests, unless nominations should be made from the floor this evening, which is hardly probable.

James E. Sullivan, present esteemed leading knight, will be elected to the office of exalted ruler to succeed John Harley, who was elected last year. Succeeding Sullivan as leading knight will be Walter Jackson, while Fred C. Becker will be named to succeed himself as esteemed loyal knight Charles Hyatt has refused to stand for another term as esteemed lecturing knight, and he will likely be succeeded by Harmon Bussert, who is the only candidate named for the place thus far.

Secretary Harry Lamberton, Treasurer Harry Botkin, and I. N. Pangle, tyler, have no opposition, and all three will be unanimously elected to succeed themselves.

For the office of trustee to succeed Nelson Shook, the names of Max Falk, Al Roberts, and Robert Davis have been presented to the lodge, and the choice will fall to one of these three. Trustees Sherman Werner and Z. A. Croson hold over, Werner for one year, and Croson for two. The appointment of the house committee is made by the exalted ruler.

The officers elected this evening will be installed into office on the evening of Thursday, April 3rd, with appropriate and impressive ceremonies, while a banquet and social entertainment will follow the regular lodge session on that evening. No special social features will be in evidence this evening.

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MASONIC NOTICE.

Stated convocation of Lima Chapter, No. 49, R. A. M., tomorrow (Friday) evening. Work on Mark and Past Master degrees.
GEO. P. CONNER, High Priest.
WALLACE LANDIS, Sec'y.

SERIOUS AFFAIRS NOW TAKE PLACE OF OUTWARD SHOW.

Washington, March 6.—When President Wilson awakened this morning he saw the beginning of the passing of the inauguration day glory, for a small army of workmen shortly after daylight had begun to tear down the court of honor, immediately in front of the White House and from a stand in which the president had reviewed the marching thousands on Tuesday.

So carefully were the great stands raised that no damage was done to the magnificent trees that line the avenue before the executive mansion. This was discovered shortly after the workmen began tearing down the structures and a member of the bureau of plant industry of the department of agriculture was on hand to direct operations. An augmented force from the street cleaning department renewed its attack at dawn today on the debris left by the gigantic crowd that packed the downtown streets during Monday and Tuesday. Although the street cleaners worked continuously yesterday the task of removing the evidences of the celebration was so great that virtually only Pennsylvania avenue was roomed. The other streets will be given attention today.

When the myraid of lights on Pennsylvania avenue are extinguished tonight, the evidences of the inauguration of President Wilson virtually will have passed. It was decided to illuminate the avenue this evening for the benefit of remaining visitors. As soon as the lights are extinguished the work of removing the strands of incandescent bulbs will begin immediately, although the Washington chamber of commerce has inaugurated a movement which would retain the lighting effects and make them a permanent feature.

General Castro, who arrived in New York last night from Washington, where he witnessed the inaugural ceremonies, laughed at these reports, reiterating his denial or any intention to engage in fomenting a revolution in Venezuela or Nicaragua. He said he would depart shortly to rejoin his family in Europe.

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With the consignment of razors received by us this morning we will conclude our distribution of this very convenient article. We had expected to end the distribution last week when our stock-in-hand was exhausted, but the demand was so great we found it necessary to get an additional supply.

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If so, get a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, take them regularly and your trouble will quickly disappear. They will stimulate the liver, improve your digestion and get rid of all the poisons from your system. They will surely get you well again. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's.

LIQUOR SOLD TO DRUNKARD

Caused Arrest of Milton
Spyker, Must Face
Grand Jury.

WIFE DRIVEN FROM HER HOME

By Irate Husband, Crazed
By Drink, Who Forfeit-
ed His Bond.

H. U. Rex, a painter living at 1213 east High street, who was arrested last evening at the instance of his wife, forfeited a bond of \$10 by his failure to appear for trial before Mayor Shook this morning. Rex was charged with carrying concealed weapons, a revolver having been found in his possession at the time of his arrest.

Police were called to the Rex residence shortly after 6 o'clock by the members of the family who were driven from their home by the drunken husband and father at the point of a revolver. The revolver proved to be empty when it was examined at the police station. Rex told the officers that he purchased the revolver to commit suicide, but as he was horribly intoxicated, his statement was given little weight.

As a result of his escapade yesterday, Milton Spyker, an east Market street saloonist, was arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of selling liquor to a habitual drunkard, and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$200 bond, secured by Charles L. Ackerman, north Main street liquor dealer.

According to Mrs. Rex, Spyker sold her husband liquor after she had given him positive orders not to do so. She further charged that Spyker refused to call her husband to the telephone telling her that he was not in the place, although she afterward learned that he spent the greater part of the day there. Later she went to the Spyker saloon, and saw her husband draining a glass of liquor at the bar.

About supper time, Rex went to his home and in a frenzy of anger, drove his wife and children into the streets at the point of a revolver. The police were notified, and Detectives McCoy and Stewart detailed to place him under arrest.

The same officers arrested Spyker about an hour later on a warrant sworn to by Mrs. Rex. He was brought to police station, where he secured his release on \$50 bond.

Two Drunks.
Jim Dristol and Louis Loveck, both plain drunks, pleaded guilty to the charge before the mayor this morning, and were fined \$7 and costs each.

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS .20 CENTS A DOZEN AT PIPE'S GROCERY.

NATION CAN SLEEP NOW THAT NEEMIE HAS BEEN FOUND.

Washington, March 6.—"Neemie," Miss Helen Taft's \$5,000 Italian poodle which strayed from the White House on Tuesday and for which the police of Washington have made unrelenting search, found itself early today a maid in the home of Miss Taft's aunt, Mrs. Thomas Laughlin, was awakened by the muffled barking of the dog and let him in. A telegram was dispatched at once to Miss Taft asking whether Neemie should be shipped to Augusta, Ga., where the Taft family now is, or whether it should be kept here until they came north again. The dog to which Miss Taft is much attached, was given by King Victor Emmanuel of Italy to former Secretary of the Navy Meyer Secretary Meyer presented the animal to Miss Taft.

G. E. BLUEM
Thursday, March 6, 1913.

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Weather—Fair

Mail Orders Sent Promptly by Parcel Post

For the convenience of our customers who are not able to come to our store, simply call up on the phone or drop us a card and by the next mail you will get your purchase. We shall be as careful in filling your order as though you were here in person.

New Suits and Coats for Easter Now Await Your Choosing—at Bluem's



Early Selections Are Always Most Satisfactory

Hundreds of Women's New Suits and Coats are here in ample time for Easter. May beautiful styles fresh from their boxes are now on display in our Suit Department. Tailored Suits in mannish serges, eponge, diagonal weaves, bedford-cords, whip-cords and many novelty weaves, all showing the new fashion features, are here at \$9.85, \$14.98, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00 to \$50.00.

Spring Coats for Women and Girls are characterized by their many new models and their exquisite materials. Every fashionable weave is represented—matelasse, eponge, sweater weaves, English checks, fancy stripes, light weight and heavier serges, corded poplins, bedford-cords, jacquard weaves and many novelties. All the new and popular shades. All sizes. Prices at \$10.00, \$12.50, \$14.98, \$16.50, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00 and up.

Garments intended for Easter wearing should be selected early that we may have ample time for changing—as our workroom is already crowded.

Wool Fabrics for Easter Gowns All the New Weaves and Shades

Every woman will want a new dress for Easter. No spring wardrobe is complete without a light weight woolen frock. One finds so many occasions when they are a necessity. You will find a wide range of weaves and shades in our wool fabrics. Something suited to eachone's needs—and to each one's purse. They come in dozens of shades in blues, tans, browns, grays, black-and-white effects, and in many evening shades, white, cream and black. Many of the new crepe effects so much in demand this season, as well as all the new suitings and cloaking weaves. They range in prices from 50c to \$3.00 yard. 36 to 54 in. wide.

Dress Trimmings, Buttons and Laces

Among the new arrivals for spring are the bulgarian Bands and Oriental effects in all-over, bands and edges, buttons of every size and color; crystal effects in buttons and trimmings; braids in all widths and shades; lace bands, edges and all-overs in rich effects and newest designs. Ornaments of various designs to harmonize with the new dress materials. All ready on the first floor, center aisle.

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JOH WILL REFEREE.

New York, March 6.—Protest made by Jack Britton's manager over the choice of William Joh as referee for the bout between Britton and Packey McFarland tomorrow night is overruled by a decision of the state athletic commission to which the dispute had been referred. The members of the commission decided there was no good reason why Joh, the regular official of the Garden Athletic club should be set aside in favor of another referee. The protest, it is said, will not be further pressed.

C. W. R. M. NOTICE.

The C. W. R. M. of the Central Church of Christ will meet with Mrs. James Davis, 525 west Market, Friday. The meeting opens at 2 1/2 and promises to be of unusual interest as a surprise is in store for the members. At 4 o'clock the society will go to the church on North street to hear Mr. Stephen Covey of Cincinnati who will give his experience in Africa.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and death of our father and also for the beautiful floral offerings and to Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Calvert for their beautiful singing, to Rev. Eckert for his kind and consoling words.

MARION JACOBS,
ANDREW JACOBS,
J. C. JACOBS,
SALLIE RINEHART

A MESSAGE TO RAILROAD MEN
E. S. Bacon, 11 East St., Bath, Me., sends out this warning to railroaders everywhere. "My work as conductor caused a chronic inflammation of the kidneys and I was miserable and all played out. From the day I began taking Foley Kidney Pills I began to regain my strength, and I am better now than I have been for 20 years." Try them.

CHILDREN HEARD IN WHITE HOUSE AFTER MANY YEARS.

Washington, March 6.—For the first time in years childish prattle and laughter are heard in the White House. The baby daughter of Mrs. Perin Cothran, the president's niece and the little daughter of Mrs. J. Wilson Howe, another niece of the president having taken possession of the long terrace opening off the east room.

The Cothran baby still is in the perambulator's stage. She has already taken a strong liking for the great glittering chandelier in the east room with its thousands of crystal pendants. As a result the youngest of the president's relatives is satisfied only with a position in the center of the nation's greatest state chamber where she may lie on her back and feast her baby eyes on sparkling wonder above her.

**Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA**